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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Application No.: 10/736,896 ) Group Art Unit: 2837  
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For: IN-WHEEL ELECTRIC MOTORS )

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
**Customer Window, Mail Stop Amendment**  
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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR**  
**RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

The Office Action issued 21 September 2005 has been reviewed and the comments of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office have been considered. Please reconsider the application in view of the following amendments and the remarks hereinafter.

The period for replying to the Office Action has been extended three months through 21 March 2006.